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Dr. John H. Harley, Chief Analytical Branch Health and Safety Laboratory United States Atomic Energy Commission New York Operations Office 70 Columbus Avenue New York 23, New York

Dear John:

Enclosed are the tables listing the tissues from the samples our group collected at Rongelap after the last test series.

We have retained a portion of the material for analysis and mailed the remainder on to you as requested by Dr. Dunham.

The second marine survey is about ready to leave Eniwetok, so we will be flooded with more samples during the next month. Some day we must take time out to find out what happened.

Sincerely yours,

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Plant Tissues for Radiochemical Analysis

Weight in gms Wet	24.0	32.1	173.0	235.0	98.2	<b>4.</b> £8	109.0	133.0	82.0	200.0	39.2	
Tissue	spees	<b>=</b>	fruit	meat	fruit	spees % drind	corm	meat	milk	meat	milk	
Species	Papaya	-	1 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Breadfruit	Pandanus	Morinda	Arrowroot	Coconut	. 2	=	=	
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Fish Tissues for Radiochemical Analysis

Date Collec.	Ato:1	Island	Species	Tis sue	Weight in gms Wet Dry	in gms Dry	Conversion factor, dry to wet wt.
¥	Kongelap	Rongelap	Reef fish	Muscle	139.8	30.55	4.58
	= ;	=	=	Bone	9.61	9.38	2.09
	= :	- L	2	Liver	10.3	. 2.48	4.16
		Kabelle	=	Muscle	103.8	22.93	4.53
=			=	Muscle	115.7	77	2 4
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				TOTAL	10.3	2.87	3.59



Invertebrate Tissues for Radiochemical Analysis

Conversion factor, dry to wet wt.	<b>4∠.</b> 8	1.97	7.68	46.6	94.4	2.44	4.03	1.44	2.44	4.03	1.44	<b>ተተ</b> • ፒ	1.44	
in gms Dry	1.82	98.9	6.45	2.10	2.80					·				
Weight in gms Wet Dry	15.9	13.5	9.64	20.9	12.5									
Tissue	Gonad	Gut and content	Integu- ment	Mantle	Muscle	Liver	Muscle	Skeleton	Liver	Muscle	Skeleton	=	=	
Species	Holothuria atra	=	=	Tridacna gigas	<b>3</b>	Cenobita sp.	=	=	= ,	=	=	=	=======================================	
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Atoll	Rongelap	=	=	=	=	=	=	=		=	2	=	=	
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Spec. No.	1-9	1-10	I-11	I-12	I-13	26†-I	I-49a	9 64-1	1-508	I-50¢	I-50a	I-51	I-52	